

Road link to China through Arunachal Pradesh

2268. DR. NARAYAN SINGH MANAKLAO: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal from China to establish road link to India through Arunachal Pradesh;

(b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto;

(c) the nature of threat/problem perceived from China in developing road connectivity through Arunachal Pradesh *vis-a-vis* the benefits through augmentation of border trade; and

(d) the alternative road linkage suggested by India and its likely benefits?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JAIRAM RAMESH):

(a) No, Sir. There is no proposal from China to establish road link to India through Arunachal Pradesh.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

Price of land acquired for industrial zones

2269. SHRI SHARAD ANANTRAO JOSHI: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the per acre price paid for the land acquired by the State Governments in each of the Special Economic Zones;

(b) the prevailing market prices of land in case of each of these Zones;

(c) the price per acre received from the industrialists by the concerned State Governments; and

(d) the cost of development of the land in question?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JAIRAM RAMESH):

(a) to (d) Land being a State subject, the price for the land acquired by the State Governments and the price for the land allotted by the State Governments to the promoters of Special Economic Zones (SEZs) are